

HOUSE BILL NO. 9

INTRODUCED BY R. HOLLANDSWORTH

BY REQUEST OF THE MONTANA ARTS COUNCIL AND THE OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM
PLANNING

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT ESTABLISHING PRIORITIES FOR CULTURAL AND AESTHETIC
PROJECTS GRANT AWARDS; APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR CULTURAL AND AESTHETIC GRANTS; AND
PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

**NEW SECTION. Section 1. Appropriation of cultural and aesthetic grant funds -- priority of
disbursement.** (1) The Montana arts council shall award grants for projects authorized by and limited to the
amounts appropriated by [section 2] and this section. Money must be disbursed in priority order, first to projects
covered under subsection (3) and second to projects listed in [section 2].

(2) The Montana arts council shall disburse money to projects authorized by [section 2] through grant
contracts between the Montana arts council and the grant recipient. The award contract must bind the parties to
conditions, if any, listed with the appropriation in [section 2].

(3) There is appropriated from the cultural and aesthetic projects trust fund account to the Montana
historical society \$30,000 for the biennium ending June 30, 2015, for care and conservation of capitol complex
artwork.

NEW SECTION. Section 2. Appropriation of cultural and aesthetic grant funds. The following
projects are approved, and \$533,976 is appropriated to the Montana arts council for the biennium ending June
30, 2015, from the cultural and aesthetic projects trust fund account:

Grant #	Grantee	Grant Amount
A. Special Project \$4,500 or less		
1704	Preservation Cascade, Inc.	\$4,000
1705	Signatures	\$4,000
1700	Council for the Arts	\$2,000

1	1701	Granite County Museum and Cultural Center	\$3,000
2	1706	Yellowstone Ballet Company	\$2,000
3	1703	Montana Storytelling Roundup	\$2,000
4	B. Special Projects		
5	1725	Montana Historical Society	\$12,392
6	1719	Humanities Montana	\$12,000
7	1729	Upper Swan Valley Historical Society, Inc.	\$10,000
8	1720	International Choral Festival	\$5,000
9	1713	CoMotion Dance Project	\$7,000
10	1710	Bozeman Symphony Society	\$7,000
11	1712	Clay Arts Guild of Helena	\$5,000
12	1716	Headwaters Dance Co.	\$8,000
13	1715	Friends of Chief Plenty Coups Advisory Council	\$5,000
14	1723	Missoula Art Museum	\$5,000
15	1714	Emerson Center for the Arts & Culture	\$5,000
16	1728	Musikanten, Inc.	\$4,000
17	1724	Missoula Writing Collaborative	\$4,000
18	1721	International Wildlife Media Center & Film Festival	\$2,000
19	C. Operational Support		
20	1755	MAGDA	\$12,000
21	1767	Museums Association of Montana	\$10,000
22	1762	Montana Association of Symphony Orchestras	\$12,000
23	1726	Montana Performing Arts Consortium	\$12,000
24	1763	Montana Dance Arts Association	\$12,000
25	1743	Carbon County Historical Society	\$12,000
26	1733	Archie Bray Foundation	\$12,000
27	1730	Alberta Bair Theater	\$12,000
28	1744	Custer County Art & Heritage Center	\$12,000
29	1766	Montana Shakespeare in the Parks	\$12,000
30	1784	World Museum of Mining	\$12,000

1	1779	Stillwater Historical Society	\$12,000
2	1739	Butte Center for the Performing Arts	\$12,000
3	1742	Carbon County Arts Guild & Depot Gallery	\$10,000
4	1774	Ravalli County Museum	\$10,000
5	1781	VSA Montana	\$10,000
6	1734	Art Mobile of Montana	\$12,000
7	1759	MonDak Heritage Center	\$11,084
8	1769	Northwest Montana Historical Society	\$10,000
9	1786	YMCA Writer's Voice	\$9,000
10	1756	Mai Wah Society	\$7,000
11	1741	Butte Symphony Association	\$9,000
12	1747	Gallatin Historical Society	\$7,500
13	1731	Alpine Artisans, Inc.	\$8,000
14	1775	Rimrock Opera Company	\$8,000
15	1787	Zootown Arts Community Center	\$9,000
16	1752	Helena Indian Alliance	\$5,000
17	1782	Western Heritage Center	\$7,000
18	1754	Intermountain Opera Association	\$9,000
19	1750	Great Falls Symphony	\$9,000
20	1751	Hamilton Players, Inc.	\$7,000
21	1783	Whitefish Theatre Co.	\$7,000
22	1778	Shane Lalani Center for the Arts	\$5,000
23	1753	Helena Symphony	\$5,000
24	1777	Schoolhouse History & Art Center	\$6,000
25	1748	Glacier Symphony and Chorale	\$9,000
26	1736	Beaverhead County Museum	\$6,000
27	1773	Queen City Ballet Company	\$5,000
28	1749	Grandstreet Broadwater Productions, Inc.	\$5,000
29	1772	Pondera History Association (PHA)	\$5,000
30	1737	Big Horn Arts and Craft Association	\$5,000

1	1770	Paris Gibson Square Museum of Art	\$9,000
2	1735	AWARE Inc/Growth Thru Art	\$5,000
3	1780	Sunburst Foundation	\$4,000
4	1732	Alpine Theatre Project, Inc.	\$3,000
5	1785	Yellowstone Art Museum	\$5,000
6	1745	Equinox Theatre	\$5,000
7	1740	Butte Citizens for Preservation and Revitalization	\$3,000
8	1771	Pondera Arts Council	\$5,000
9	1758	Missoula Cultural Council	\$2,000
10	D. Capital Expenditure		
11	1789	Helena Presents/Myrna Loy Center	\$10,000
12	1788	City of Shelby Champions Park	\$5,000

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14 NEW SECTION. **Section 3. Reversion of grant money.** On July 1, 2015, the unencumbered balance
15 of the grants for the biennium ending June 30, 2015, reverts to the cultural and aesthetic projects trust fund
16 account provided for in 15-35-108.

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18 NEW SECTION. **Section 4. Reduction of grants on pro rata basis.** Except for the appropriation
19 provided for in [section 1(3)], if money in the cultural and aesthetic projects trust fund account is insufficient to
20 fund projects at the appropriation levels contained in [section 2], reductions to projects with funding greater than
21 \$4,500 will be made on a pro rata basis.

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23 NEW SECTION. **Section 5. Effective date.** [This act] is effective July 1, 2013.

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